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In re the Application of

Robert C. TONKS et al.

Group Art Unit: 3641

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For: VTOL AIRCRAFT NOZZLE

REQUEST TO REMOVE SECURITY MARKINGS AND RESCIND SECRECY ORDER

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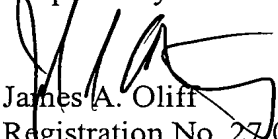
A Response To Renewal Of Secrecy Order and Request To Remove Security Markings was filed on August 29, 2001, evidencing that the security restrictions of the corresponding British application had been revoked. Applicants have not received a response to that Request.

Please find attached a further copy of a letter from the British Patent Office revoking the security restrictions of the corresponding British application. Therefore, the security restrictions placed on the above-identified U.S. patent application can now be withdrawn and this application may proceed according to normal procedures.

It is therefore respectfully requested that all security markings be withdrawn from this application.

It is also respectfully requested that the secrecy order in this application be rescinded and the application passed to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,


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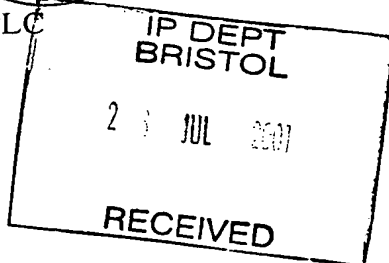


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Your reference: PAT/VJB/94017J
Our reference: C(L)023

13 July 2001

Dear Sirs

Application No. GB9510892.4

With reference to the above application, I can now inform you that the directions under Section 22 of the Patents Act prohibiting communication and publication of the information therein have been revoked.

In consequence, it will now be treated as a normal application and any conditions as to secrecy which the Comptroller may have imposed on applications relating to the same invention filed or to be filed abroad are now withdrawn.

It will, therefore, now proceed to publication under the provisions of Section 16(1) and then to grant. Should you wish to avoid publication by withdrawing the application you must notify me in writing within the next four weeks.

Yours faithfully

M G Wilson